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Cadiz, Novemb. 2, *N. S.*

VIce-Admiral Aylmer, with the Squadron of Men of War under his Command, arrived here the 25th of the laſt Month, and found in this Port the Pool, the Betty, and Centurion. On the 30th paſt we had a very great Storm, which blew down a Wall that was building for the Security of the South-Weſt part of this City, and had coſt much Labour and Expence. A French Merchant-Ship, and divers other Veſſels, drove from their Anchors, and were ſtranded, and above 200 Seamen loſt; but none of the Engliſh Men of War, or Merchant-men, received any Damage. The Spaniſh Flota, which came laſt from the Weſt-Indies, have not yet begun to unlade; the King of Spain's Officers have taken out of them a conſiderable Sum of Mony for the Indulto, which is demanded of the Merchants, who thinking themſelves overcharged, have ſent Deputies to Court to repreſent this matter to the King, and in the mean time delay bringing their Effects aſhore.

Madrid, Novemb. 12. The 6th of this Month being his Catholick Majeſty's Birth-day, he was Complimented by the Foreign Miniſters, and other Perſons of Quality, who had the Satisfaction to ſee him perfectly recovered of his late Indiſpoſition, his Health being at preſent much better than it has been for theſe ſeveral Years. There was an Opera, and other Entertainments at Court, and in the Evening the Inhabitants here took this Opportunity to give all poſſible Demonſtrations of their Joy for the King's Recovery. Count Altamira, Ambaſſador from this Crown to the Pope, being lately dead, Orders have been ſent to Cardinal Giudici to take care of the Affairs of this Crown at the Court of Rome, till ſome other Perſon be appointed to ſucceed in that Embaſſie. Count Taraſconi, Envoy from the Duke of Parma, has had his Audience of Leave of the King and Queen, and is preparing for his Journey home, Count Baldini remaining at this Court in his ſtead, with the Character of Reſident. Some new Levies are making here, to recruit the Forces that are Quartered in the Dutchy of Milan, and to reinforce the Gariſon of Ceuta. The Letters from this laſt Place give an account, That on the firſt of October, the Moors made an Attack on the Retrenchments which the Spaniards have lately built at ſome diſtance from the Town, and at firſt made themſelves Maſters of that Poſt; but a Company of Granadiers being ſent to the Relief of our Men, they beat back the Enemy, killing divers, and taking ſome Priſoners.

Coruna, Nov. 25. On the 21ſt Inſtant came into this Port the Loyalty of Biddiford, Richard Woodland Commander, in 23 days from Newfoundland. Yeſterday arrived here the Spaniſh Expedition Packet-Boat, in 4 days from Falmouth, which will ſail again with the firſt fair Wind. Our Letters from Vego of the 14th Inſtant give an account, That Thirty five Sail of Engliſh Merchant-Ships from Newfoundland, under Convoy of his Majeſty's Ship the Bedford-Galley, had put into that Port, and the greateſt part of them ſailed afterwards for O-Porto and other Ports.

Dantzick, Novemb. 15. General Brandt having put a Gariſon into the Town of Elbing, according to the Articles agreed on and ſigned the eleventh inſtant by him and the Magiſtrates of that Place, expects the Elector of Brandenburgh's Orders to ſend back the reſt of his Forces to their Quarters, the Weather growing ſo cold, that it is impoſſible for them to continue much longer encamped. We expect by our next Letters from Warſaw, to hear what Reſolution the Senate, who were to meet on the 14th Inſtant, on the occaſion of this Enterprize of the Elector of Brandenbourgh, have taken thereupon. The King, who was returned from Lemberg, to adviſe with them in this matter, intended, on the 19th, to begin his Journey to Lithuania, to ſettle the Affairs of that Dutchy, which continue in as great Diſorder as ever. The Forces which are to have their Winter-Quarters in that Province, are marching thither with all poſſible Diligence, which makes the Diſcontented Party very uneaſie. A General Diet is ſummoned to meet at Warſaw in January next, in which it is hoped ſuch Meaſures will be taken, as may quiet the Affairs of that Kingdom.

Vienna, Novemb. 15. We expect by our next Letters from the Congreſs in Hungary to receive an account that a good Progreſs has been made in the Treaty of Peace, to which the ſeveral Parties concerned ſeem much inclined. Great Preparations are making here for the Marriage of the King of the Romans with the Princeſs of Hanouer, which will be celebrated about the time of the next Carnaval. The Elector Palatine is arrived here from Francfort, and intends to ſtay at this Court to be preſent at this Solemnity. The Forces in Hungary are all marching to their Winter-Quarters, and the new Forts on the River Theyſſe are almoſt finiſhed, which will be a great Security to that Frontier. Some Advices from Hungary ſay, That the Grand Viſier is returned towards Adrianople, having left ſufficient Power with the Turkiſh Ambaſſadors at the Treaty to finiſh that Work.

Hambourgh, Nov. 20. The Conferences between Count d'Eck, the Emperor's Miniſter, and the Commiſſioners from the ſeveral Princes Directors of the Circle of the Lower Saxony, for adjuſting the Pretenſions of the Dukes of Mecklembourgh Swerin and Strelitz, who both lay claim to the the Succeſſion of the late Duke of Mecklembourgh Guſtraw, are continued with ſo good ſucceſs, that in all appearance this Buſineſs will be ſoon adjuſted; after which, the ſaid Commiſſioners intend to proceed upon the execution of the Commiſſion they have received from the Emperor, for enquiring into the Diſorders of this City; and in the mean time, they have cauſed an Order from his